

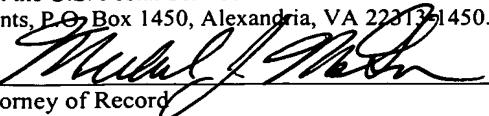
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PATENT

Docket No. 03AB203

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Sergio Bortolloni, et al.
Serial No: 10/812,705
Filed: March 30, 2004
Title: FUSE STATUS INDICATOR FOR FUSE CARTRIDGE
Art Unit: 2835

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
(37 CFR 1.97(c))**

Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 8 2004 for three months from August 8, 2004 to November 8, 2004.

Applicant is a non-small entity.

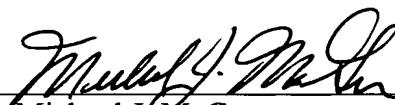
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<u>Months</u>	<u>Fee for Non-Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
[] one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
[] two months	\$430.00	\$215.00
[X] three months	\$980.00	\$490.00
[] four months	\$1,530.00	\$765.00
[] five months	\$2,080.00	\$1,040.00
		Fee \$980.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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